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In re Application of:

Satake et al.

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Examiner: Zhi Qiang Qi

Art Unit: 2871

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RESPONSE (D) AFTER FINAL

Applicants have the following response to the Final Rejection of February 28, 2006.

Applicants will address each of the Examiner's rejections in the order in which they appear in the Final Rejection.

Claim Rejections - 35 USC §103

In the Final Rejection, the Examiner continues to reject Claims 68-78 under 35 USC §103(a) as being unpatentable over Shimada et al. (US 5,805,252) in view of Hirota et al. (US 5,926,240).

This rejection is respectfully traversed.

In the Final Rejection, the Examiner contends that Shimada discloses a "switching element (TFT 40) formed over substrate (31)" and "insulating film (34) functions as a first insulating film;